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OF PATENT APPLICATION**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed on August 10, 2001, in the above-identified application, transmitted herewith are the missing parts needed to complete the filing of the subject patent application.

Enclosed are:

- [ X ] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [ X ] Return Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts.
- [ X ] Petition for One Month Extension of Time.
- [ X ] Preliminary Amendment.
- [ X ] Information Disclosure Statement.
- [ X ] Form PTO-1449 and copies of 15 cited references.

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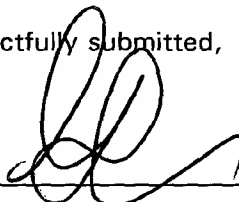
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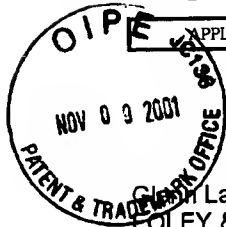
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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$240.
  - \$240 for 3 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1080.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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